

REVENUE FROM INTERNAL LEVIES IS ON DECREASE

Declares Receipts for Fiscal Year Are \$812,579,486 Less Than in 1920.

GIVES REPORT IN DETAIL

Blair States Taxes From Tobacco Have Fallen Off in Big Extent; \$16,000,000 Less Is Realized on Cigarettes.

By J. Frederick Essary, Washington Correspondent of The Times-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 28.—Revenue from internal taxation during the fiscal year 1921-22, according to a preliminary report made by Commissioner of Internal Revenue D. H. Blair, to the Secretary of the Treasury, would be a heavy decrease in federal income during the year just ended, as contrasted with the tax returns made to the Treasury Department in March for the calendar year 1920, a decline estimated at \$16,000,000 less is realized on cigarettes.

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A recapitulation of the collections follows:

General Sources	1920	1921
Incomes	\$1,000,000,000	\$1,000,000,000
Capital stock	12,225,789,612	12,225,789,612
Estate taxes	103,643,563	144,023,562
Trade and business	367,758,411	320,584,167
Beverages	135,221,000	141,229,000
Child labor	294,777,651	250,000,000
Admissions	81,814,556	64,882,512
Stamps	1,134,125	1,134,125
Excise taxes	2,252,515,667	2,252,515,667
Capital stock	165,470,823	202,446,576
Employment	5,407,589,211	5,407,589,211
National prohibition	8,247,827	72,462,015
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